

AN ADDICKS MAN IS TURNED DOWN

Senate Judiciary Committee
Wants President to With-
draw Appointment.

REJECT THE NOMINATION

The Day's Proceedings in the
House and Senate—Mat-
ters of Interest.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The senate committee on judiciary today agreed to recommend that the nomination of Wm. M. Byrne for United States district attorney of Delaware be rejected. This action was taken after quite an extended discussion.

The ground for the action of the committee was the connection of Byrne with Delaware politics. It was agreed to delay the report in order to give the president an opportunity to withdraw the nomination.

Mr. Byrne belongs to the Addicks faction in Delaware. He was formerly district attorney, but resigned to run for congress on the union or Addicks ticket. He was defeated and reappointed to his former position.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 2.—When the senate met today Mr. Hale called attention to an alleged combination among attorneys to maintain excessive fees in claims filed with Spanish treaty claims commission. These, he said, have been placed at 33 1-3 per cent, as shown by a report of the commission. He did not suppose that the commission would report the full amount of the claims—\$81,000,000, but that even if a reasonable amount was reported the attorneys would still receive in fees over \$3,000,000.

Mr. Gullion, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, assured Mr. Hale that the commission was now considering a bill fixing the rate of compensation for attorneys in regard to these claims.

A joint resolution was passed requesting state authorities to co-operate with the census office in securing a uniform system of birth and death registration.

The Rawlins resolution, calling for information regarding court martials in the Philippines then was taken up.

Mr. Quay asked for unanimous consent for a vote on the statehood bill on February 18.

Mr. Nelson objected.

The army appropriation bill was then taken up.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 2.—When the house met today Mr. Cannon reported the sundry civil appropriation bill and gave notice that he would call it up at the earliest opportunity. This was suspension day and the speaker recognized Mr. Bates (Ga.), who moved the passage, under suspension of the rules, to provide for the "better separation and utilization of public and private lands within the limits of railroad land grants in the arid region."

Mr. Bates explained that the bill was recommended by the interior department. It permitted the secretary of the interior, he said, to exchange arid and semi-arid lands within the limits of railroad and wagon grants for public lands of equal value in order to assemble public and private lands in more compact bodies so as to permit them to be advantageously used.

CONVENTION WILL OPEN TOMORROW

International Gathering of
Building Laborer's Union
to be Held Here

The annual convention of the International Building Laborers' union will be held in this city, beginning tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when the convention will be called to order in Harmony hall by President Thomas Gilmore, of Springfield, Mass. The duration of the gathering is indefinite, but as there is much business to be transacted, it will probably continue over the coming week.

The delegates began arriving last evening and quite a number arrived during the day. There are 300 branches of the union in the United States and Canada, and it is expected that fully two-thirds of the unions will send representatives to the meeting here. The total membership of

the international union is about 30,000.

The opening session will be held tomorrow, and Henry J. Hoeltje, president of the cigarmakers' union, will be temporary chairman. Mayor Henry C. Berghoff will deliver the welcoming address and President Gilmore will respond. J. C. Workman, president of the local Federation of Labor, will address the convention briefly on "Organized Labor."

The local labor unions will assist in entertaining the visiting delegates, and a meeting of the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor will be held on Tuesday evening in Harmony hall to make arrangements for entertainment.

Among those who have arrived are Secretary Daniel Moynihan, of Lowell, Mass.; First Vice President M. L. Taylor, of Cleveland, O.; Second Vice President William Young, of Lorain, O.; Third Vice President Thomas Pictou, of Toronto, Ont.; F. J. Byrne, of Worcester, Mass.; F. J. Barney and Patrick Coffey, of Springfield, Mass.; J. J. McCarthy, of Hartford, Conn.; and William Gaugh, of Pittsfield, Mass. The St. Nicholas hotel will be the headquarters during the convention.

TO TAKE TRACTION LINES THIS MONTH

Members of New Syndicate
Hold Meeting at Lafayette
—Decide to Close Deal

The new McCulloch-Murdock-Paul syndicate will acquire possession of the Fort Wayne street railway lines some time during the present month, and at a meeting to be held next week the date will be definitely fixed and all preparations concluded for the actual transfer of the property.

This much was decided at a meeting held at Lafayette Saturday afternoon at which there were present George F. McCulloch, of Indianapolis; Col. J. Levering Jones, of Philadelphia; Hon. James Murdock, Sam T. Murdock and Charles Murdock, of Lafayette; and Henry C. Paul, of this city. The session lasted until 1 o'clock Sunday morning and it was determined not to wait until the expiration of the option on April 1, but to close up the deal for the purchase of the property with as little delay as possible.

Mr. Paul stated today that he could not discuss the matter at this time further than to say that Fort Wayne would in no way suffer by the change in owners, and that the new purchasers had under consideration a number of plans for improving the property.

WILL ERECT LARGE FLAT BUILDING

Mrs. Emma Fleming to Build
an Apartment House Con-
taining 48 Rooms.

Mrs. Emma Fleming is having plans prepared for a handsome, large flat building which will be erected on the northeast corner of Ewing and Berry streets and the brick residence now occupying the lot will be partially demolished so that it can become a part of the new building.

The new building will occupy almost the entire lot. It will be three stories in height and will contain six flats of eight rooms each. The portion to be erected will contain about thirty-six rooms. The main entrance will be located in the center of the building, and there will be two flats on each floor. A large basement will be built, containing boilers, coal room and apartments for a janitor.

Work on the apartment house will begin as soon as possible and it will be completed and ready for occupation the latter part of the summer. The building, when finished, will cost between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

LOCAL LINES.

Miss Florence Metz will be hostess for the T. E. C. club Thursday evening.

The Pickwick club will meet with Mrs. Castle, 2912 South Calhoun street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Robbins, of Auburn, are in the city.

H. L. Norris, of Bluffton, is in the city on business.

The Aid society of Willing Workers will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Allen, on West Craghton avenue.

Miss Lenora Mitchell, of 1117 Oak street, left yesterday for Toledo, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Schamp for a week or ten days.

GRAND JURY THE CAUSE OF A STIR

Many Wild Rumors Take Wing
and Sensational Tales are
Circulated.

AIKEN IS PROSECUTOR

Former Superior Judge to Pre-
sent Matters—Mr. Emrick
Under a Cloud.

The grand jury was called to report today and was sworn in by Judge O'Rourke this forenoon. George McEwen was appointed foreman, Homer Underwood was named as the official stenographer and reporter and former Superior Judge, John H. Aiken was appointed as assistant prosecutor.

Immediately, as the facts of the rather unusual, if not unprecedented organization of the grand jury began to be known, rumors of all sorts and of all ludicrous characters came into circulation. Some of the rumors were that a snowball, were added to each time that they changed hands or mouths. There were rumors of war and rumors of rumors of war which multiplied so that presently the general report was that the grand jury would indict everybody except Judge O'Rourke. It was stated that Prosecutor Emrick had been 'deposed' altogether and would be excluded from the jury room; that the frequently alleged "stand in" of the police department and the policy gamblers would be taken up and that the alleged policy men had left the city between two days after having been given a tip and that above all the conduct of the prosecuting attorney and his alleged connection with settling for violations of the liquor law and for licensing, as it were, houses of prostitution and taking a liberal take-off would be dealt with with unguiled hands and that the prosecuting attorney was practically out of the game altogether in this grand jury sitting.

There were other rumors, widely prevalent, involving the names of city officials and for which the most diligent inquiry fails to reveal any foundation.

FOUNDATION FOR RUMORS.

All these rumors had a foundation of some sort, but the leak in the information was greatly augmented. As stated in the opening paragraph, Judge Aiken was appointed to assist in the presentation of facts to the grand jury and in his instructions delivered by Judge O'Rourke, he was invested with independent power to prosecute as he liked such cases as he thought were not properly presented.

It is also true that J. Bickel, who is alleged to be interested in policy gambling, has gone away to visit at the bedside of a sick brother, it is said, and Mr. Emrick admits that he is under a cloud which he can readily dispel.

SHERIFF KEPT BUSY.

The sheriff and his deputies have been kept pretty busy today as well as yesterday serving subpoenas on a number of prominent Fort Wayne men to testify before the jury what they know of certain allegations made through the press and personally during the past few months. Among those summoned to appear are nearly all the newspaper men in the city, including every one of the proprietors or acting managers of the English dailies. They are supposed to give the grand jury information concerning slot machines, gambling, policy, lotteries, bucket-shops and chance-taking in any form. The actual business before the jury today, however, is confined to the investigation of the Bandler criminal assault case. Tomorrow the Stump criminal assault case will be investigated, and it will be followed by an investigation of the outrages against the family of Dr. LaFollette, of Williamsport, to establish which more than fifty witnesses have been summoned and to answer for part of which a young man named Harrod is already in custody and out under bond. These, with a few other cases, the principals in which are already under arrest and in jail or under bond, will constitute the first work of the jury, and then will come the longer and more undefined cases, which may result in a lengthy and copious investigation.

WHAT THE JUDGE SAYS.

After getting a fair line on the situation, The Sentinel asked Judge O'Rourke for a statement. "I do not want to be interviewed," said the judge, "a judge never should submit to an interview, but I will say that the substance of the facts, so far as I know, so far as you have presented them are practically correct according to my understanding. Yes, I appointed Judge Aiken as assistant

prosecutor and instructed him as to his duties."

"When you say assistant prosecutor, Judge, do you mean that he is simply an assistant to the prosecutor, to do as he directs, or has he rights of his own? Is he subservient to the prosecutor?"

"Oh, no; not at all—not at all. He will be subservient to no one at all. He will have the same authority as the prosecutor to investigate cases as he finds them and see fit."

COMPLAINTS WERE MADE.

"Why was this appointment made; in whose interest was it made and for what purpose in a general sense did you make the appointment at this time?"

"I made it because there was a demand for it. But as I told you before you should not attempt to interview me. I can answer your questions, to be sure, but it is not proper that I, as an official, should say anything, no matter how insignificant, that would reflect upon any other official, unless specific charges were brought and then I should listen only and hear the evidence. I can say this, however, that there have been complaints made by parties that their cases have not been properly presented to the grand jury by the prosecutor and in several cases the allegations were very strongly put and I understand that one case previously passed by default or otherwise will be again brought up."

No, I will not say to what case I refer. Then there have been specific charges made and many complaints have come to me and so I thought that in the interest of the community, the county, not the democratic party or any other party, but the integrity of the people of Fort Wayne, that the matters complained of should be investigated thoroughly. I believe that is all that I can say on the subject except that I think that if there is anything wrong the wrong should be exposed and if there is nothing wrong, the people who make unfounded charges should hereafter hold their peace. I hope the investigation will be a thorough one and I believe it will."

MR. EMERICK'S STATEMENT.

Prosecutor Emrick was also seen by The Sentinel and he did not appear to be a bit disturbed by the wild rumors that were flying the street. "I know," said he, "that there has been a whole lot of talk about me, none of which hurts me a bit. The rumor that the appointment of Judge Aiken means that I am deposed is nothing but pure rot. He was named as my assistant and that is all there is to it. I am glad he was appointed, because I need assistance very often. I cannot afford to talk much for publication at this time, but I will say that I also know that there have been implied charges lodged against me. I don't care anything about them. I know where I am at and the charge made that I have received money from keepers of houses of prostitution contrary to law will not stand for a minute." Mr. Emrick then related circumstances which, he said, he thought were responsible for the present upheaval concerning himself, but as they were of a purely personal character he did not think that he cared to be quoted.

Anyway, as the case now stands there is more excitement around the court house square than there has been for many days, and that there is something quite fierce doing somewhere there is no doubt at all.

THEIR FIFTEENTH CHILD.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gillie, living north of the city, are the proud parents of a son, which arrived on Saturday. It is their fifteenth child and is a healthy youngster weighing ten pounds. Of the fifteen children that have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Gillie, fourteen are living. Mr. Gillie is the owner of a large dairy.

PLANS WERE ADOPTED.

The building committee of Concordia Lutheran church met yesterday and adopted the plans of Architect Henry Meyer for a new church. The structure will be of brick and stone and will cost about \$18,000, exclusive of the furniture. The cost complete will be about \$21,000. The auditorium will have a seating capacity of 700 and it is proposed to build a gallery to accommodate 400 more, but this has not been definitely decided upon. Bids will be opened as soon as a few minor details are decided upon, and building operations will begin early in the spring.

Battery B will hold its regular monthly business meeting tonight. A number of new applicants for membership will be received.

The ladies' society of the Order of Eastern Star will hold its regular business meeting at the Temple Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lehr, Mrs. Louis Mader and Mrs. Charles Chineworth, of Huntington, were here yesterday to attend the funeral of the late E. P. Piepenbrink.

A NEW PROPOSAL FOR THE ALLIES

To Have One Month for Ex-
clusive Enjoyment of Ven-
ezuela's Revenues.

BOWEN'S LATEST PROJECT

France Active in the Effort to
Protect Her Claims—The
Present Situation.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Minister Bowen is willing that the allied powers shall receive preferential payments of their claims against Venezuela for the period of one month, provided they accept the remainder of his proposition and agree to the immediate lifting of the blockade. He informed the representatives of the allies here to this effect several days ago, but has not yet received an answer. This important fact was developed today by the announcement from another quarter that the allies might be induced to modify their demand that they be paid before the other claimant nations to the extent of containing themselves with preferential treatment for six months or perhaps a year.

There is no indication as yet that they will consent to cutting this period to a month, but owing to the activity which France and other claimant nations are showing regarding the protection of their interests in Venezuela, it will not surprise the officials here if the allies yield still further.

The situation is somewhat complicated by the action of President Castro in cabling to Washington that he desires that all the claimant nations be accorded the same treatment. This message from President Castro was received in Washington and Mr. Bowen will at once acquaint the allies with its purport.

NO ANSWER RECEIVED.

London, Feb. 2.—The answer of Venezuela to the rejection by the allied powers of her proposal to treat on an equality the claims of all nations, without giving the allies preference, has not yet been received nor has any definite counter proposal been made. It is not anticipated here that the negotiations looking to a compromise which are now going on in Washington will reach a head for at least two days.

ALL MACHINERY HERE THIS WEEK

Knott-VanArnum Company In-
stalling Equipment in Fac-
tory at Rapid Rate

Machinery is being installed in the new factory of the Knott-VanArnum company, at the southwestern edge of the city, at a very rapid rate and it is said that before the end of the present week all the machinery will have been transferred from the Cold-water factory to the new location in Fort Wayne.

Much of the shafting and some smaller machinery is already in position, but one car of the outfit has been lost upon the railways and tracers are now seeking to locate it. A considerable force of men will come from Michigan with the last of the machinery to arrive in a few days. The Haberkorn-Haley company of this city is installing the big engine which will furnish power for the factory.

BETHEL CHURCH TO HAVE NEW PASTOR

Rev. J. H. Evans Will be Trans-
ferred to Another Charge
in April.

Rev. J. H. Evans, pastor of Bethel Evangelical church, on South Clinton street, will be transferred to a new charge at the annual convention of the Indiana conference of the Evangelical association, which will be held in Indianapolis, beginning Thursday, April 2nd. He will preach his farewell sermon to his congregation here on Sunday, April 19th.

Rev. Evans received his present appointment in 1899 and has been pastor of Bethel church for the maximum time allowed by the Evangel-

ical association, having been returned each year at the earnest solicitation of Bethel congregation. His pastorate has been very successful and the membership of Bethel church has shown a wonderful increase since Rev. Evans assumed the charge, and its financial condition is the best it has ever been.

WILL BUILD A FACTORY.

The National Duplicating Book company, formerly the Archer-Sprague-Vernon company, has purchased two lots adjacent to their present factory building on North Harrison street, and are having plans prepared for a new brick building, 80x200 feet, and two stories high, to cost about \$7,000. The new factory will be built as quickly as possible.

WILL ORGANIZE AN ASSOCIATION TODAY

Lutheran Hospital Project to
Assume Definite Official
Form.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon the gentlemen interested in the movement to establish a large Lutheran hospital in Fort Wayne met at St. Paul's Lutheran church, on Barr street, to formally organize the society which will carry forward the enterprise. It had been expected to hold the meeting at an earlier hour, but the meeting was deferred on account of a funeral service at Emanuel's church.

The name which will probably be chosen for the association is "Evangelical Lutheran Hospital Society of Fort Wayne and Vicinity," and the sum of \$50,000 is to be raised for the erection and equipment of the institution. Of this sum about \$17,000 is already pledged. At the meeting today a board of directors and other officers will be chosen and it is the intention to push the work of raising funds as rapidly as possible.

The matter of location has not yet been decided, but those in position to know believe the hospital will go either to the east or the south side of the city.

GRAVE ROBBERY CASES COME UP FOR TRIAL

Dr. Alexander Arraigned in
Court at Indianapolis on
Four Counts.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 2.—The trial of the first of the now celebrated grave robbing cases began today when Dr. Jos. C. Alexander was arraigned in the criminal court to answer to four counts in a grand jury indictment. The case bids fair to be the forerunner of cases that will take many weeks to dispose of.

Thirty-nine men are under indictment, many of them in jail charged with devastating the grave yards around Indianapolis. Among those charged with being members of the ghoul organization are several prominent physicians and one undertaker. The majority of the accused are negroes. Many bodies were recovered after the operations of the ghouls came to light.

DR. G. C. STEMEN IS HONORED IN COLORADO

Former Fort Wayne Physician
is Appointed to State Board
in the West.

Signal honors have been quickly won by Dr. George C. Stemen, a well known Fort Wayne physician who removed from this city two years ago to take up the practice of his profession in the west.

Dr. Stemen has been appointed by Governor Peabody, of Colorado, as a member of the state board of medical examination and registration there and has accepted the place. Dr. Stemen located in Denver in the hope that the western climate might prove beneficial to the health of Mrs. Stemen and he has quickly achieved recognition there, both professionally and socially. He was a member of the committee on arrangements at the recent inaugural ball given when Governor Peabody assumed office and is already prominent in political circles there.

He is a son of Dr. C. B. Stemen, of this city, and was for several years a surgeon for the Pennsylvania company in this city.

FOES OF SALOON ARE UP IN ARMS

Prepare to Resist Assault of
the Brewers on Blanket
Remonstrance Law.

ACTIVE OVER THE STATE

Members Besieged and Urged
to Vot Against It—A
Baseball Move.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indianapolis, Feb. 2.—The proposed amendment to the Nicholson law by which the brewing interests of the state hope to kill the blanket remonstrance clause has aroused the temperance forces from one end of the state to the other.

They have assumed the aggressive and are preparing for a great movement on the house where the amendment is now being considered.

The temperance people showed their hand yesterday in nearly every church in Indiana, where petitions were signed protesting against the amendment, and every member who went home for Sunday was besieged by them and urged not to support the amendment.

Senators and representatives who did not care to commit themselves said today that they found it difficult to dodge their temperance constituents.

TO INCREASE SALARIES.

Senator Fleming, of Fort Wayne, announced today that he will at his earliest opportunity introduce a bill providing for an increase in the salary of the commissioners of the Allen county from \$1,300 to \$2,000 per year.

The senate held a short and uneventful session this morning. The house did not convene until this afternoon.

FOR SUNDAY BASE BALL.

The recently organized Central Base Ball league, which includes in its circuit six Indiana cities—Fort Wayne, Marion, Anderson, Terre Haute, Evansville and South Bend—began lobbying today to secure an amendment to the Indianapolis Sunday base ball bill, passed last week by the house, so as to include cities of 17,000 population. This amendment would include all cities in the Central league. The managers of the Indianapolis club are opposing the amendment, fearing it will bring opposition to the original bill.

The Central league men accuse Manager Watkins, of the Indianapolis team, breaking faith with them. They say he agreed to stick with them and fight for Sunday base ball in Indianapolis and all Central league towns. The bill was to have been introduced today. They now accuse Watkins of having given them the double cross and introduced his bill a week earlier.

CORONER RESUMES HIS INVESTIGATION

Consults County Attorney as
to Depth of Inquiry in Ex-
plosion Horror.

This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Coroner Barnett resumed his inquiry into the disaster at the Eckart Packing house where five men lost their lives in an explosion Thursday morning. The taking of testimony was begun Saturday afternoon, and all the witnesses on the stand then were recalled today. Dr. Barnett has asked the legal opinion of County Attorney Barrett as to the extent of the investigation which should be made by the coroner in the present case, and he will be governed by Mr. Barrett's construction of the law in the matter. The coroner is anxious to do his whole duty, but he desires to be fully advised as to the extent of the duty devolving upon him.

EXPECT ADJUSTERS.

Adjusters representing the various companies which carried risks upon the packing company's property are expected in the city this afternoon to begin the work of estimating the liability of the insurance companies for losses sustained in the disaster. Reports from the injured men are more favorable today. Dr. Mikesell says that John Kolbach is resting more comfortably, and that his chances for recovery are slightly better. Improvement is also noted in the other cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schultze, of Lima, Ohio, are the guests of friends in the city.

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EXPLOSION VICTIMS ARE LAID TO REST

Throngs Pay Tribute to Four
Who Lost Their Lives in
Packing House Horror

Four of the men who lost their lives in the explosion at the Eckart Packing house Thursday morning were laid to rest at Lindenwood cemetery Sunday afternoon, and sorrowing throngs whose numbers mounted up into the thousands were present to pay the last sad tribute of respect to the memory of their friends and comrades whose lives were snuffed out without a moment's warning.

Fraternal societies were prominent in the sorrowful demonstration. More than 200 men were in the line which formed in front of the A. O. U. W. hall on East Berry street, headed by the Shober First Regiment band, and this line was increased fully one-half by members of the Tribe of Ben Hur who fell in at the rear as the line passed Clinton street. Other additions were made on West Berry street by belated members of the two orders, and a conservative estimate places the number of men in line as the procession passed over the VanBuren street bridge at 400.

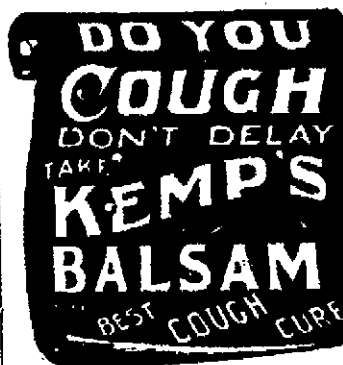
The entire west end of the city, where all the victims resided, was wrapped in gloom, and all joined in the testimonial of sorrow. John Yobst was a member of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen, and that fraternity was out in force to participate in the last sad rites. Henry Piepenbrink held membership in Tent 95, Knights of the Macabees, and in Court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, and Conrad Miller was identified with the A. O. U. W. In each case there was a very large representation of the lodges. James Foltz was a member of no fraternity, but the attendance at his funeral service was very large, and in every instance the floral offerings were unusually elaborate and profuse.

SHOWS GREAT GROWTH.

Manager Theodore Thorward, of the South Bend Telephone company, who spent Sunday with his family in this city, is highly gratified over the showing made by his company, which is owned practically in its entirety by Fort Wayne capitalists. It is but thirteen months ago that the South Bend company was organized, and active operations on construction began April 1, 1902. Within the brief time intervening the company has built a complete telephone system of the most improved modern type and is now serving 1,500 patrons in South Bend alone, with toll lines to Michigan City, Elkhart, Goshen, Fort Wayne and Plymouth, besides having nearly completed a big exchange at Mishawaka. The South Bend company now has 200 additional applications for 'phones on file, and is adding to its switchboard facilities in order to take care of the phenomenally growing business.

REV. FITZPATRICK TO LEAVE.

Among the changes to be made by Bishop Alerding during the coming week will be the transfer of Rev. James B. Fitzpatrick, assistant pastor at the Cathedral, to Oxford, Ind., to succeed Father Miller, who will be sent elsewhere. Father Fitzpatrick has been assistant pastor at the Cathedral for the past year and is one of the most popular young priests in the diocese. He is a son of Michael Fitzpatrick, of this city, and received his early education in the parochial schools here. The bishop states that the Mishawaka appointment will not be made until



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June, but a temporary paper will be appointed this week.

ADOPT A NEW PLAN.

The Visiting Nurse League has adopted the following plan for a systematic collection of dues, somewhat similar to that of the Needlework Guild. The plan is as follows:

Anyone who pays 25 cents annually is a member of the Visiting Nurse League.

Anyone who secures five members besides herself is a collector.

A group of five collectors forms a division, the chairman of which is the one who secures four collectors besides herself.

Each member should pay 25 cents to her collector by March 1; each collector should pay the sum collected by her members (\$2) to the chairman of her division by March 5. The chairman of each division should send the amount of collections from her division (\$10) to the financial secretary by March 10.

The names of any desiring to join the league can be sent to room 8, city hall, or to Mrs. J. B. Pellens, of 517 East Berry street. The dues are 25 cents a year.

AN AMERICAN LINER HAD ROUGH PASSAGE

Steamer St. Paul Arrives in
New York After a Very
Stormy Voyage.

New York, Feb. 2.—The American line steamer St. Paul arrived today from Southampton and Cherbourg, having been delayed by extremely bad weather. The steamer left Southampton at noon Jan. 24 and soon after a crack was found in one of the cylinder caps. The defect proved so serious that Captain Jamieson decided to have it repaired before proceeding on the voyage. After a delay of ten hours the engineers made some of the necessary repairs and the steamship got under way again, passing the Needles at 10:23 o'clock at night. The St. Paul arrived at Cherbourg at 1:47 o'clock the morning of Jan. 25, too late to take on passengers. She was therefore obliged to wait for daylight, finally passing out of the harbor at 7:52 o'clock in the morning. From the channel the steamer ran into stormy weather which continued without cessation throughout. Heavy southwest and west gales prevailed with southeasterly squalls, making a very rough passage. After leaving the quarantine station the St. Paul anchored off Thompkinsville, Staten Island, and displayed two black balls, indicating that she was not under command. She remained at anchor about twenty minutes and then started for her pier.

LONG DISTANCE TALKERS.

(Indianapolis Sentinel.)

Many of the legislators are looking forward with the greatest interest to a contest which is to be pulled off at the Grand hotel in the near future, if arrangements can be completed. The struggle will be to determine which can talk the longer, Representative Wells, of Fort Wayne, or Representative Garman, of Bowling Prairie.

In the few weeks they have been here each man has made a record for himself as a long-time conversationalist and the other legislators who are beginning to wonder if they never stop for a moment even, are arranging a contest to determine which is the better man in this particular, and offer a prize to the winner.

For Representative Wells it is said he has been known to sit up until 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning talking to himself, just to work off the surplus, and every boarder at the Grand knows that it requires several hours for Mr. Garman to make a meal because the bites are separated by such a long period devoted to conversation that each mouthful is thoroughly digested before another is taken, and consequently it takes a long time for him to satisfy his appetite. The waiters all fight shy of Mr. Garman for he has an unpleasant manner of ordering one dish on the menu and then getting into an argument with a neighbor and everything else is forgotten. By the time the discussion is over Mr. Garman has forgotten what he ordered and has to begin again.

HE SAW HIS SHADOW.

February 2d is the day upon which it is popularly supposed that the hog comes forth from his winter's nap and spends an anxious day watching for his shadow. If he sees it, it's all off and winter wraps will be in order for another six weeks, but if he does not, it augurs an early spring. Mr. G. Hogg had no trouble seeing his shadow today and in consequence spring is postponed a month and a half.

The Kreis Stolzenu will have an anniversary celebration next Thursday evening. Reineke's orchestra will play and the program will conclude with a dance.

PETITIONS WERE NUMEROUSLY SIGNED

Remonstrating Against Two
Bills Now Before the State
Legislature.

Petitions to the state legislature remonstrating against the proposed amendment to the Nicholson law and the bill now pending to make Sunday base ball legal in the city of Indianapolis were read in the leading Evangelical churches of the city on Sunday with a request that voting members sign them and forward them to the proper authorities at the capital as quickly as possible. The remonstrance against the liquor law amendment was almost unanimously signed, but many refused to attach their signatures to the one against legalizing Sunday base ball.

The proposed amendment to the Nicholson law provides that every remonstrance against granting a license be signed by a majority of the voters in person. As the law stands at present a voter can convey a power of attorney to a proper representative and the remonstrance once signed can be used against every applicant for a license, doing away with drawing up a new one every time a license is applied for. It is claimed that the liquor interests are backing the amendment and the state W. C. T. U. and Anti-Saloon League are making an active fight against it. Petition blanks were sent to all the leading churches of the state by the Indianapolis Ministerial association and they hope to marshal such an array of remonstrances as will effectually put a stop to tampering with the law.

The original bill providing for the legalization of Sunday baseball in all the cities of the state was amended so as to affect only Indianapolis and the ministers of that city are making an active campaign against the bill.

IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

Arthur Beal, at Anderson, was fined \$25.00 for chasing a rabbit on Sunday. Lewis Pickering, an Elkhart pioneer 80 years of age, died Saturday afternoon.

The first car went over the new electric road between Michigan City and Laporte Saturday.

While demented, Reimer Bliss, of Valparaiso, shot himself Friday evening, dying instantly.

Moses M. Hostetter, a leading citizen of Emma, Lagrange county, is dead at the age of 87 years.

August Studler, a farmer near Phoenix, Adams county, is preparing to raffle off his farm of ninety acres.

After eighty days' imprisonment Alvin Nusbaum paid the allowance in his wife's divorce case and was released from jail at Goshen.

Mrs. John Smith, west of Auburn, is advertising for a lost hat which the wind blew from her head and carried away so completely that search has failed to locate it.

While at work in a sawmill near Hoagland Friday, Samuel F. Crill got one of his hands in too close proximity to the saw. He lost a thumb and had several fingers badly mutilated.

Allison Oswald and Horatio Grove, two carpenters at Keystone, Wells county, fell twenty feet with a collapsing scaffold Saturday morning and sustained dangerous injuries.

Charles F. Schultz, city treasurer of Laporte, died Friday night. Although but 45 years of age, physicians say he died of old age, asserting that infirmities came upon him prematurely.

Col. Charles Blanchard, a pioneer printer, died Saturday in the Cass county infirmary, near Logansport. In 1850 he was employed in the office of the "National Era," at Washington, where he read the proofs of Harriet Beecher Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin," first published in that paper.

The Reformed church at Huntington is to have a new church building and the last service in the old edifice was held Sunday. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Ph. Ruhl, of Fort Wayne, a son of J. B. Ruhl, under whose pastorate the laying of the cornerstone and the dedication of the old structure occurred in 1859.

Henry Klein, a glib young man, is wanted in Cass county to answer to a charge of petit larceny. Klein posed as a land-buyer, and dickered for farms long enough to secure several weeks' board by accepting the hospitality of

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harmed with whom he was negotiating. When it came to a show-down on the lead bank Klein was missing.

Mrs. Eliza Brockway, 65 years of age and weighing about 200 pounds, was burned to death at New Castle, Saturday morning. While alone in her apartments Mrs. Brockway's clothing caught fire in some unknown manner, and friends found her wrapped in a blanket with which she had tried to smother the flames. She died shortly after.

NAME IS CHANGED.

The directors of the Archer-Sprague-Vernon company have decided to change the name of the concern to the National Duplicating Book company, and hereafter the firm will be known by that name. The following officers have been elected: L. C. Hunter, president and treasurer; A. M. Bittinger, vice president; Charles E. Archer, secretary. These officers, with John H. Jacobs, compose the board of directors.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. Asher S. Preston is making a business visit in Kendallville. Dan Bash and Nathan Rothschild are in Chicago on a business trip.

Chris Lange, groceryman, who has been critically ill from pneumonia, is convalescent.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Paul's Walther League will be held this evening.

E. A. Bradley, the well known architect, has opened offices in the Elektron building.

The annual meeting of the Fort Wayne Gas company will be held on Wednesday afternoon.

T. B. Gilbert, of Angola, spent Sunday in the city with his son, Guy J. Gilbert, and family.

The annual meeting of the Fort Wayne Drug company will be held next Saturday afternoon.

M. B. Singleton, secretary and treasurer of the Wayne Blauvelt company, is in Washington, D. C., at manufacturers.

The regular meeting of Miss Harker's Monday night dancing class will be held this evening at the Anthony Wayne club, and members will attend en masse. There are no invited guests, the attendance being limited to the members of the class.

The Fort Wayne councils of the Catholic Benevolent League of Indiana will unite in a progressive Pedro Tuesday evening at St. Mary's school hall. The event is for members, their families and invited guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Cairns celebrated the fifty-third anniversary of their wedding on Sunday. The same date was also the fourth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hess. Mrs. Hess is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cairns.

James H. Young returned home Saturday evening from a week's trip to New York city, Philadelphia and other eastern cities. Mr. Young made the trip in the interest of the Wayne Jewelry company, of this city, and reports a large number of fine orders secured for his house.

Mrs. A. L. Grubel, of West Berry street, left Saturday evening for a week's visit with friends in Indianapolis. While there she will attend the wedding of Dr. Eric Crull, of this city, and Miss May Goodwin, of Indianapolis, formerly of Kendallville. The wedding will occur next Thursday evening at the home of ex-Senator Fred Joss.

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DR. WHARTON'S DISCOURSE

Men's Meeting at Masonic Temple Sunday Afternoon Was Well Attended.

The evening service was announced to begin at the First Presbyterian church at 7:30, but before 7 o'clock the spacious auditorium was packed, the gallery was filled and all the standing room and space in the aisles was taken. People were turned away and told to come later and meantime a song service was held in the lecture room for the overflow. Long before the hour announced the evening service was



commenced and was preceded by a musical program of the usual meritorious standard and was closed with a solo by Prof. Geiger.

THE LADIES' MEETING.

After Prof. Geiger finished a song, which was rendered quite impressively, Dr. Wharton made the announcements for the remainder of his stay, referred to elsewhere, but in speaking of the ladies' meeting for Tuesday, said: "I know of one prominent manufacturer in your city who said that he had told his eight lady stenographers that they could come to the meeting for ladies on Tuesday. Now, you young ladies who are here tonight, just tell your employers what this other gentleman said and your employers will let you off, too, to come to that Tuesday meeting. Just try it, anyway, and you and your employers both will be benefited."

After a song, joined by the audience, Dr. Wharton announced his text and proceeded with the discourse of the evening. His text was taken from the forty-second verse of the twenty-second chapter of Matthew:

"What think ye of Christ?"

The balance of the verse continues: "Whose son is he? They say unto him, the son of David." The doctor, however, confined himself to the first inquiry and in all the illustrations of the evening the text was plainly in evidence—"What think ye of Christ?"

Dr. Wharton then went on to say that as a man does so he must think, and directly asserted that if all persons thought more all would be Christians. "Why," said he, "the only reason that you are not a Christian is because you don't think." He followed this statement with a reference to Ingersoll, and said that he did not think that he was an infidel, because at his brother's grave he showed that he believed in a hope and a hereafter.

TALE OF TWO SCOFFERS.

He then referred to the popularly known episode of Lord Littleton and Gilbert West, two known scoffers, if nothing worse. They met one night and agreed that each should write an article setting out the fallacies of the Christian religion. They agreed to use their best endeavors to bring out their points, and after talking the matter over, it was arranged that Littleton's treatise should be upon "The Resurrection" and West's should be upon "The Conversion of Saul of Tarsus." The two men met some months afterwards, when West asked Littleton whether he had written his article, and Littleton answered: "Yes, I have written it and it converted me, and I thank God that I now can place my faith in the Lord Jesus Christ." Gilbert West was dumfounded at the confession of his friend, but said that while studying up the conversion of Saul of Tarsus he, too, found his error and was converted to the Christian belief. "To-day," said Dr. Wharton, "Lord Littleton's treatise is regarded as one of the best arguments for religion

in existence, simply because he thought it out. So it is with you, my friends—just think it out; just think. In the words of the text, 'What think ye of Christ?'

HIS FRIENDS AND ENEMIES

"Now, I want to reduce this question to just two propositions," said the speaker, "his friends and his enemies, and I will take up his enemies first. What do Christ's enemies say? Well, they say that he was an imposter. You can't go anywhere and expect to get into an argument about Christ, but what somebody will be there to tell you that he was an imposter. The Christ that my mother believed in, the Christ that my father believed in and served all his life and in whose arms he died and is now resting—he an imposter? O, no!"

"They say again that Christ does not offer sufficient inducements for you to serve him or think well of him. Well, let's see. Christ says he'll work for you; he'll die, and did die, for you; he'll work with you, will save you, and if, when the last day comes and you are not quite satisfied with your record, he'll take the blame himself and says he'll go right to the bar of judgment and take your place and answer for you. Seems to me he's offering some inducements that are pretty good."

"Well, then, somebody says that he cannot carry out his promises and inducements. But he does. He has given me peace in the darkest hour and he has to many of you. Now, I want all of you who have ever found comfort and peace in Christ to stand right up." It is needless to say that half the congregation were on their feet in a moment.

CONTENTMENT IN CHRIST.

"Now, I want to tell you something about the peace and contentment that a perfect understanding with Christ can bring to your mind. My parents' family consisted of five brothers and one sister. I lived in Virginia, had a brother in Texas, another in Georgia, another in Maryland, and the fifth in Florida, while the sister lived in Kentucky. We hadn't met for a long time and one day we at home there concluded we'd fix up for a sort of a family reunion. So we sent out letters to all of us for a grand family reunion, and when the day came all of us five brothers were there and were waiting for the train to come in that would bring sister."

"We were all lined up and down at the depot and when the train came in there was no sister, but the train brought a letter saying that she had expected to come in on the train that brought the letter but couldn't; that the night before her home had caught fire and been entirely consumed before her eyes and that she didn't have a dollar in the world." She wrote: that while she was standing there that night seeing her home burn up and while she was holding the hands of each of her two little boys in hers she felt thankful that their lives had been spared and she offered up a song to heaven. And what do you suppose she sang? I'll sing it for you."

The doctor then impressively and alone sang a stanza of a hymn commencing: "Through fiery trials," etc., and added: "I want to tell you, friends, it's the power of the Lord Jesus Christ that sustains you. Now, what do you think of Christ?"

ABOUT CHRIST'S FRIENDS.

"Now I want to say a word or two about His friends. I've got through with His enemies, but how I do like to talk about His friends! I think He is the power to save the lost world and that is the reason I like to talk about Him. I like to talk about the ministers, too, because they are His friends. I think the ministers are the best, the most cheerful and altogether the jolliest people on earth. Now, you'll excuse me for talking this way about my own class, but, really, I think that's right and we're all friends of Christ, too. Of course we can't all be preachers. There was once a farmer's boy who didn't like work very well, so he thought he would play a little bit on his father's religious propensities and so the boy thought he might be a preacher and have an easy time at school. He told his father he had seen a sign and he wanted to follow it. The father asked him what the sign was and the boy said it was 'G. P.' The father asked him what he thought it meant and the boy said it meant 'Go Preach.' 'Oh, no, it don't,' said the father, 'it meant 'Go Flow.' So you see some must plow—can't all preach."

A FAITHFUL SAVIOR.

"Now, the friends of Christ say that He is a faithful Savior. He'll stick to you if you'll stick to Him. I never knew a backslider in all my life who tried to lay it onto Jesus Christ. No, sir; he took the blame himself. In Brooklyn one day a couple of boys were sweeping the muddy crossings with little oak branches so as to let people get over

dry, as the other side they usually asked for a penny. One day a man gave one of the little fellows a dime and he took it around and showed it to all his little boy friends and told what a great, good and kind man had done for him—that he had given him a dime and that he had asked for only a penny. Why, friends," said Dr. Wharton, "Jesus Christ does that for you every day and you don't even notice it. Every time you ask Christ for anything He gives a hundred fold more than you ask for. Now let me tell you something: The question with you is not to decide what to do. Let that to Christ to take care of and you do what He wants you to and you'll come out all right and won't need to worry about it at all."

STORY OF TWO BOYS.

Dr. Wharton concluded his illustrations by relating the story of the college experiences of two boys near his home in Virginia. He said that he was not personally cognizant of the facts, but that the instances had been related to him by Dr. Richardson, of Washington, D. C., who was a personal acquaintance of both parties. The first story was that of a young man living on a farm who wanted to be a physician. His father heard his request and told him that crops were light and times were hard and that a college education was expensive, but he'd see about it. That same night the young man went to his mother with his request and the mother talked it over with the father that night in bed. "You know what the outcome is," said Dr. Wharton, "when mother talks it over with father; mother usually carries her point and so did this mother. She said she wouldn't need any new dress that year and that she might save a little on the eggs and market a little more butter and so on and anyway the boy was sent to school."

The speaker carried his subject through several years of college life with varying and suspicious expense accounts coming in, and the mother always finding an excuse for them until finally the graduation night came on. Then the mother insisted that the father go to the city to see the son get his honors. After much protestation the father made the journey and after arriving at the college town met his son coming down street with a couple of swell and well dressed friends. They were just about to pass him by when the father halted his son, who pretended not to know him and the students passed on leaving the old man heartbroken. He stood there leaning against the adjacent fence with tears trickling through his hands when he was met by this same Dr. Richardson, referred to by Dr. Wharton, who asked him what the matter was. "I'm heartbroken," said the old man in sob-broken, tremulous tones. "My son has disowned me; he has disowned his poor old father." Dr. Wharton then applied the illustration by asking how often any of his hearers had disowned Christ. He then made the opposite and closing illustration of the evening:

A DUTIFUL SON.

"There was a woman once who had a dutiful son and one day he came to her and said, 'Mother, I believe I have had a call to become a minister and I am sorry that I can't answer it.' 'God bless you, my son,' she said, 'but you can answer it.' Then follows a long discourse between the mother and boy. They had no means, but the mother said that she would go to the college and take in washing and cook his meals and other peoples' meals and that while he was studying she would do the rest and that it wouldn't take much to get along anyway. The boy protested, but the mother insisted and made the arrangements and so the boy went to college. Finally his graduation day came and he was allowed to reserve one seat at the exercises; he took it and went to his mother with it and told her that he had the best seat in the house for her—right down in front, next to the stage and in the middle of the row. 'The good woman protested,' said Dr. Wharton, 'and told her boy that she couldn't go. She had only that one dress that had been turned up and down and inside out so often that it didn't look like anything, and then there was that little old-fashioned hat! Well, the boy didn't care and to please him the mother went. The hall was filled with great people with their rich gowns—used to call the things you sleep in gowns when I was a boy—but anyway the rich were there with their gowns and furs and perfumes and all of that and there sat that little old woman with the old hat and the faded dress right down in the front row and you could hear people whispering about her all over the building."

HONORED HIS MOTHER.

"Presently the president dis-

tributed the diplomas and by-and-by he said that he held in his hand a badge that had been bought by the class and faculty to be presented to the most meritorious student in the school, and as he said this he handed the diploma to the son of the little old woman who washed, and pinned the badge of honor on his bosom. Now then," said the speaker, "what do you suppose that young man did? He stepped off the stage and went up to the little old woman in the front row with the funny hat and the faded dress and he said, 'Mother, this is for you,' as he pinned it on her, 'but for you I could never have attained this honor,' and then for the first time the whole audience knew who the little old woman with the funny hat and the faded gown was and why her dress was faded and her hat was not new. Will you confess your Saviour and pin your badge on him? I want to say to you that everything we have and all we can do, we owe to our Savior."

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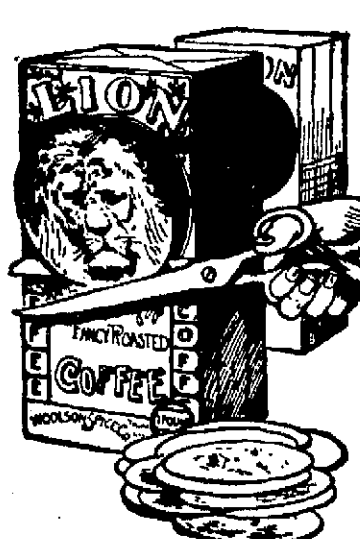
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February 3rd—7:30 p. m.	February 3rd—2:30 p. m.
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TONIGHT.

Unions—Cigarmakers, No. 37; Barbers, No. 14; Machinists, No. 70; Tailors, No. 118; Locomotive Firemen, No. 141; Carpenters and Joiners, No. 239; Lathers, No. 24; Painters and Decorators, No. 26.

Miscellaneous—Caledonian society; Union Veteran Legion, Encampment No. 51; St. Paul's Walther League.

Praternal—Sol. D. Bayless, F. & A. M.; Bethany Court, No. 141, Tribe of Ben Hur; Fort Wayne, No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix, No. 101, I. O. F.; Modern Woodmen, Camp 4761; Knights of Columbus; Fort Wayne Homestead, No. 376, American Yeomen; Summit Encampment, No. 18, I. O. O. F.

Masonic Temple—Davidson Stock company all week.

Tonight, "The Great Diamond Robbery."

Tuesday, "Strange Adventures of Miss Brown."

Wednesday—"Jim, the Penman."

Thursday, "Humbly."

Friday, "Under Two Flags."

Saturday, "Fossam Ridge."

MATINEES.

Tuesday, "True Hearts of Erin."

Wednesday, "Great Diamond Robbery."

Thursday, "My Mother-in-Law."

Friday, "Miss Brown."

Saturday—"Fanchon, the Cricket."

The Fort Wayne ground hog saw his shadow, at all events, and if he intends to deliver the goods, it is to be hoped he will enter into some working arrangement with the gas company to do likewise.

The sultan of Morocco is coming into enjoyment of his even. The pretender has been defeated and if not among the dead is among the fleeing. There's a moral to it—don't pretend.

The mid-winter meeting of the Indiana democratic editorial association will be held at the Grand hotel, Indianapolis, Thursday, of this week. In the evening Hon. and Mrs. S. E. Morris will give an informal reception to the editors and their ladies.

Castro expresses fear that the Veneguelan trouble is going to be made the pretext for a world war, but heroically resolves that when he has exhausted all means to prevent it, he will fight. Bully for Castro! But meanwhile, just to get his hand in, he might go out and lick the revolutionists into a state of preparation for the right side when the bugles sing war.

Certainly there ought to be liberal response by the American people to the appeal of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial association for funds to suitably honor the memory of the author of the Declaration of Independence. Admiral George Dewey is president of the association and Senator Fairbanks is vice president for Indiana. Nearly all of the great men who have had part in the making of the nation's history have been suitably honored save Jefferson. The great statesman and friend of human liberty remains unhonored. Certainly the people who enjoy the benefits of this great government he did so

much to maintain our standing in the memory of Thomas Jefferson.

Among the stories sent out from Washington explaining Quay's stubborn fight for the statehood bill is one to the effect that back of the contest is a conspiracy led by Quay and Foraker for control of the senate and the ousting of Hanna and other leaders from the place of front rank. There may be something in it. Hanna, it will be remembered, voted against the seating of Quay upon his appointment to the senate when the Pennsylvania legislature refused to elect him and Foraker—well, Foraker is from Ohio, is anti-Hanna and probably jealous. And Hanna is, as a matter of course, opposed to any new states that will elect democratic senators. The tale is reasonable, if not true.

Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson has abandoned the heroic career of a naval officer for the plaudits of the lecture platform and the osculations of his female admirers. The navy department brought the hero of the Merrimack exploit up to the point where he had to make choice of naval duty or resigning from the service, and he has resigned. For several years he has devoted more of his time to lecturing than to naval construction. He sought to be retired on account of ill-health, but was disappointed in that, the examining board declaring him fit for duty. It is rather a pity that Hobson's choice should knock much of the romance out of his future career. Taken all round, he is an extraordinary young man.

In a number of the churches of this city petitions were numerous signed praying the legislature that no laws be passed interfering with the operation of the Nicholson law as now in effect. The direct purpose of these petitions is to combat the effort now being made to have the legislature repeal the blanket remonstrance clause of the Nicholson law, which has proved a most efficacious weapon in the hands of the temperance people of Indiana. The belief seems to be that the legislature will not disturb the law, but the brewing interests of the state are exerting themselves powerfully to get the remonstrance act repealed, and the temperance forces are preparing a counter show of force. The remonstrance law is a good thing, has had good results, imposes no unfair conditions on the liquor interests. It simply gives the people of a community the right to elect whether or not they will have saloons in their midst. The law should be preserved.

What Think Ye of Christ?

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are so different from what they ought to be. Her life brings no peace, no joy, no hope. She has forsaken the guide of her youth—her mother. Her house leads down to the ways of hell. There you will find cards and dancing and wine drinking. These are the things that lead men away—the snares that the devil lays at your feet. Our text says who enters her house never returns. Let me tell you no man enters those vile places and comes out the same as he went in. He comes out more degraded, besmirched, more soiled and more eternally damned. The woman of the brothel weaves the winding sheet of souls and lays them down in death!

WHERE PATH STARTS.

Dr. Wharton next took up the question of the start upon the pathway of shame, asserting that it was in many instances the dance, where temptation is thrown before young people, and he pleaded with fathers to throw safeguards about their daughters by keeping them away from such places.

The unfortunate business conditions which have tended to the employment of men and women together were also charged with responsibility for the downfall of many women. Another source of danger was in parents permitting young people to be upon the streets at unreasonable hours. Dr. Wharton saw in the pernicious practice of "treating" another fruitful source of danger—"and I notice," said he, "that your mayor says that the dissipated, loud-mouthed girls shall not go into saloons in this city. Only the nice ones have permission to do that! (Applause.) Then the case of the betrayer was

used as a means of blackmail and the evangelist declared that "hell is in the soul a place for such an infamous scoundrel. Be careful, father, whom your daughter associates with."

POINTS A REMEDY.

"But what can we do to better conditions? I'll tell you: Let us treat every woman as we would like to have another treat our wife, sister or daughter. There can be no better application of the Golden Rule than this. Let us respect womanhood and show our strength in protecting it as best we can. It is a grievous error that sets up two standards of morality—one for men, another for women. It is outrageous to make an outcast of women and restore man to his old place. She is not one whit more at fault than he. We should not, in my opinion, stamp either with the scarlet letter. We ought to try to save them; there is a better light for them. But O, fathers, put up the bars between your daughters and ruin. Never give your consent for any man to put his arm about her and go whirling about the ball room. If you do, and she is lost, put the blame where it belongs—on yourself!"

"Temptations are a part of this life. Conversion transforms the soul, but it leaves us the same bodies, appetites and passions. If you had been a drinking man before conversion and went out today and took a number of drinks of liquor, I would not like to be responsible for the consequences. Drink would awaken the devil once more. But Christ says that in Him we shall conquer. Let us consign ourselves—soul, body, appetites and all into His keeping, and in the moment of temptation cry to Him from an honest heart and see if He doesn't hear us."

Dr. Wharton concluded with an anecdote of the conversion of Tode Hall, of the Baltimore detective force, a sinful man, who under the preaching of Mr. Moody, had turned to God, and whose transformed life had since been a benediction to all about him. "Give yourself, soul and body, to Christ," said Dr. Wharton; "it's the only safe thing to do."

MEETINGS NEAR A CLOSE.

Rev. Dr. Wharton's present work in Fort Wayne will close Wednesday evening, and later in the week the evangelist will leave to take up the effort at Piqua, Ohio. Afternoon meetings will be held Tuesday and Wednesday at Grace Reformed church. Evening services at the First Presbyterian church.

On Thursday evening at the First church, Dr. Wharton will describe his 10,000 mile trip through the Holy Land. Admission is free.

LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. T. R. Ansherry, of Defiance, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. A. W. Pickard.

Mrs. Thornton M. Goodloe, of Indianapolis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee Ninde.

Miss Munson and Miss Eunice Munson, of Chicago, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Yarnelle.

Mrs. E. M. Savercool has returned home to Boston after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson.

A new pedro club, to be known as the S. S. C., held its first meeting Saturday with Miss Jo Cox. The prize was won by Miss Kolb.

Columbia City Post: Allie Carter and family, of Fort Wayne, who visited northeast of the city for two weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

Miss May Kinkley was pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening by the members of the S. B. M. Cooking club in honor of her birthday anniversary. The guests were in fancy dress.

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A LITTLE OUT OF SEASON.

An unusual phenomena for this season of the year manifested itself at an early hour this morning, when a regular summer thunder shower passed over the city. The fog overhanging the city cleared away about 1 a. m. and soon afterwards heavy banks of clouds rolled up from the southwest, with peals of thunder and vivid flashes of lightning, followed by a heavy shower.

TO DRILL FOR OIL NEAR HOAGLAND

C. S. Bash, With Allen and Adams County Farmers, is Forming a Company.

Charles Bash, of Fort Wayne, representing a company of oil men of that city, was in Hoagland Thursday for the purpose of leasing 8,000 acres of land for his company, says the Decatur Journal. The farmers about that section of the country met in Hoagland at the same time and decided that if an oil company was wanting to put down wells on their land it would be a good thing for them, the farmers, to put the wells down themselves and they refused to lease their land to the Fort Wayne company. They have formed a company of their own and expect to try their hand at the oil business. Mr. Bash succeeded in getting three or four landowners to lease their property, but the larger number of the farmers were not over anxious to give up their land even in a lease. The company is composed of Adams and Allen county farmers.

A new firm which recently began doing business is the Farmers' Lumber and Shingle company, located on Wayne trace.

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Charles Snyder, who has been in the employ of the Adams Express company in this city, has been appointed agent for the company at Columbia City. He took charge of the business Saturday, relieving his uncle, E. E. Ricker, who resigned to embark in other business.

Miss Madge Mitchell, of Lima, Ohio, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mamie Blair.

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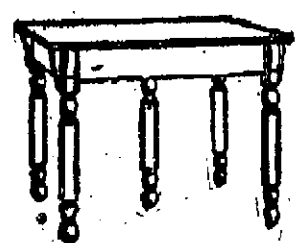
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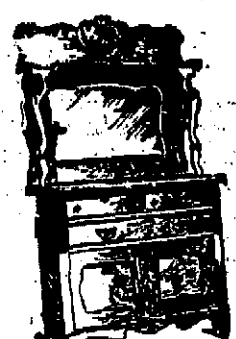
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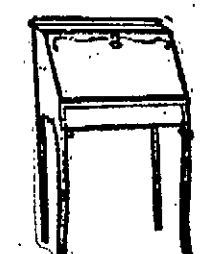
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The bans of marriage of Miss Ella Betts and Thomas Gordon and Miss Josephine Martin and Thomas Kehoe were published at the Cathedral yesterday morning.

BOX SOCIALS TO
BUILD SIDEWALK

Brooklyn Street Residents Try
Unique Plan to Raise Money
for Improvement

Tired of tramping through the mud to reach a car line and unable to prevail upon the county authorities to construct any sort of a sidewalk, residents of Brooklyn street have adopted a novel plan for raising funds to construct the improvement upon their own account. They have begun to hold a series of box socials at each other's houses, and the success of the movement indicates that its object will soon be accomplished.

Brooklyn street is a thoroughfare outside the city limits west of St. Mary's river, and extends southward from the Pennsylvania right-of-way. In the territory adjacent quite a little settlement has sprung up, and residents of the district come to their daily labors each morning upon the interurban line which crosses the street. It is plain that the city cannot direct the building of sidewalks, and it is likewise probable that the county authorities have no jurisdiction in the matter.

With 1,000 feet of mud facing them each morning, during the muddy season, the citizens there have taken the matter into their own hands, and will construct a board walk with the proceeds of the box socials. The first of the gatherings was held at the home of Albert Crawford Saturday evening. It netted \$34, and others will be held until a sufficient sum is raised.

NOTES OF THE CLUBS

The meeting of the D. A. R., to have been held today, has been postponed until February 10th.

The Fortnightly club meets this evening with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Foeter and Rabbi Cohn will read a paper on "What is Poetry?"

The Current Literature club meets with Mrs. Tolan and will discuss "The Right of Way." A reading from the Stoddard lectures will be given by Mrs. Hadley.

Prof. Howerth, of Chicago, will lecture in the assembly room of the court house Tuesday night on sociology and the subject will be "The Problem of Poverty."

Mrs. A. W. Pickard will be hostess for the Nineteenth Century club on Tuesday. Mrs. Pickard will read from Chaucer and selections from Chaucer's works will be given. There will be a social hour.

At the meeting of the Morning Musical society in the Anthony

Wayne club Friday Scandinavian music will be the program, which is in charge of Mrs. Drayer and Mrs. Bowerford.

The Dandelion club meets at the home of Mrs. Dallas F. Green on Friday and will study Beethoven. The program is in charge of Mrs. Will Hulse, Mrs. W. E. Davis and Mrs. A. J. Vesey.

On Thursday evening John Quincy Adams, of the University of Pennsylvania, will lecture on "In the Studios of Some of Our Best Artists" in Floral hall under the auspices of the School of Art.

The Woman's Reading club meets Tuesday with Mrs. D. M. Foster. Mrs. Foster will read a paper on "In Woman's World Today in History and Literature."

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. L. B. Davis is home from a visit in Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellison have returned from a trip to Kansas.

Mrs. A. L. Oriebe has gone to Indianapolis to spend a week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Strawbridge spent Sunday the guests of friends in Bucyrus, Ohio.

Miss Bessie Cramer, of Champaign, Ill., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Dodes.

The Monday Night Dancing club will have a masquerade this evening in the Anthony Wayne club.

L. M. Beck has removed his jewelry and photographic supply stock from the Kan block to No. 911 Calhoun street.

Miss Rachel Duke, of Scooba, Miss., will arrive in the city tomorrow to be the guest of her brother, Jack G. Duke, and other friends.

Attorney H. I. Smith, who was made quite ill by taking some medicine in which cocaine had been put by mistake by a druggist, is much improved.

The Woman's Bible meeting of Wayne Street M. E. church will be omitted Tuesday on account of the Wharton meeting at Grace Reformed church.

The local Independent Order of Foresters are preparing to entertain the high court, which meets here the latter part of the month. There will be a business session and a banquet in the evening.

Dan McKendry, of Chicago, is visiting his brother, Patrolman Charles McKendry. Mr. McKendry was formerly deputy city clerk, but is now in the general offices of the Great Northern railroad in Chicago.

The gymnasium classes of the Y. W. C. A. gave an exhibition on Saturday evening in the gymnasium before a large number of the parents and friends of the young people who participated in the exercises. The exhibition was given under the direction of Miss Gertrude Colby, physical culture director.

EDWARD FORCED TO
ABANDON A VISIT

Britain's King is Suffering from
a Feverish Cold, But
Not Seriously.

London, Feb. 2.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra were to have gone on a visit to the duke and duchess of Devonshire, at Chatsworth, this afternoon, but their departure was postponed at the last minute, the reason being given that the king was suffering from a feverish cold. He was planting trees at noon some distance from Windsor Castle and appeared then to be in excellent health and spirits.

Shortly after the king's return to the castle a telegram was sent to the duke of Devonshire saying that his majesty had a cold and that Sir Francis Laking, the king's physician, considered it unsafe for him to travel today. The royal train has been ordered to be in readiness tomorrow in the hope that the king will be able to carry out his intention of visiting the duke and duchess of Devonshire.

The prince and princess of Wales and prince and princess Charles, of Denmark, left Windsor for Sandringham during the afternoon.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

The report of the Associated Charities for the month of January shows that the total number of applicants was 48, of which 14 were new; 34 resident families with children, 4 resident families without children, 7 single women, 1 homeless man and 2 nonresident families. Five men were offered work, 3 accepting, and 4 women were offered work at the women's work room. The total number of persons represented by the applicants was 183. Fifteen of the applicants came directly to the office, 13 were sent by citizens, 15 by other societies, 5 by trustees and 1 by the police. Aid was secured for those in need from the Elks, Relief Union, Visiting Nurse League, churches, trustees, Home for Emergencies and St. Vincent De Paul society. One person reported was not found at the address given. Temporary employment was secured 8 times. The general secretary made 96 calls and at the central office there were 158 telephone and 150 personal calls.

CANDLEMAS DAY CELEBRATED.

Candlemas day, or the Feast of the Purification, was celebrated in all the Catholic churches of the city today with solemn ceremony. At the Ca-

thedral high mass was celebrated by Father Roche at 9 o'clock. Preceding the mass the ceremony of blessing the candles occurred. These candles are of wax and are lighted by the faithful in time of impending trouble and on all occasions of unusual solemnity. The ceremony is symbolical of the presentation of the infant Jesus in the temple and the purification of His virgin mother.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Buck, of High street—a son. Mr. Buck is a fish merchant on Main street.

The afternoon meetings at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., which have been suspended during the month on account of the Wharton meetings, will be resumed next Sunday. A. D. Craig, formerly of this city, and now editor of the Bicknell News, will lead the men's meeting.

The St. Joe Athletic club will hold a meeting Tuesday evening to prepare for a social session. It is said the club is experiencing some difficulty in securing local amateurs to go into the boxing ring and it may be necessary to import some sparring talent.

Rushville, Ind. Messrs. Ely Bros.—I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and hay fever and tried many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Ely's Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since. (Rev.) B. M. Bentley.

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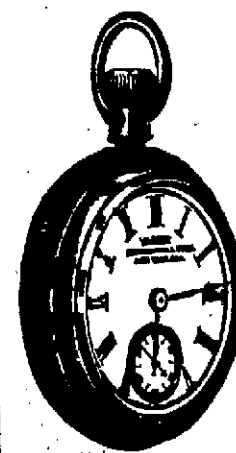
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ONE GOOD PROMOTIONS

G. W. Rupley Gets a Foremanship—Vincent Dawson Called Up Higher

There was a scene at the Bedson home, 312 East Berry street, last evening, which has indelibly stamped itself upon the memories of all who participated in it. As the reader doubtless remembers, John H. Bedson retired from the general foremanship of the Nickel Plate round house and shops in this city last Saturday evening, after a service of ten years. Last night a committee representing the employees of the motive power department over which their host had charge, presented him with a massive and costly Masonic ring, with diamond settings, and a purse well filled with gold coins. Under ordinary circumstances Mr. Bedson is a fluent talker, but he was rendered almost speechless by the emotions which this kindly act brought up. However, he managed to convey to his friends a due appreciation of the feelings which prompted the act and assured them that he would always remember his connection with them as one of the most pleasant associations of his life. At the close of the presentation Mrs. Bedson invited the committee to remain awhile and partake of refreshments which she would prepare for them. They accepted the invitation and enjoyed one of the most pleasant evenings of their lives. The men who contributed in this remembrance of a popular foreman and fellow citizen are the engineers, firemen and round house and shop employees who make this city their home or run in and out of the city. Few men enjoy the respect and esteem of the men under them to the degree that Mr. Bedson does. And this popularity is not confined to Nickel Plate railway circles, for he is held in high repute in Masonic, business and social circles. He will soon accept another position, of which he will not speak at present.

Flyer Comes Off Road.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—The announcement that the Pennsylvania railroad is to discontinue the Pennsylvania special, the twenty-hour train between New York and Chicago, is said to be only the beginning in the matter of the reduction of passenger service to the west. One of the leading traffic officials said other trains are likely to have the same fate, and that no matter what it costs, the road would break the freight blockade and open the way to ship coal east and west. It is said the Pennsylvania officials have information that the New York-Central will also take off its flyer known as the "Twentieth Century Limited."

An official said the Pennsylvania special has not been profitable. The average number of passengers carried has been about twenty-five, which represents less than \$1 a mile as earnings, but the fact that it has crowded scores of freight and local passenger trains to sidings and thus proved a delay to general traffic, is given as the principal cause of its discontinuance. A train will make its last through Thursday. The running of the will not be renewed until the congestion of freight is relieved, and even may not again be placed in service.

S. M. Prevost, third vice president of the road, said: "The high speed at which this train is run to make the schedule time necessitates the keeping of the tracks clear to avoid accidents, and the extreme care thus taken to protect the public from possible injury interferes seriously with the freight traffic."

Pittsburg, Feb. 2.—Fully 20,000 freight cars were moved on the Pittsburg division of the several railroads during Saturday and Sunday. The yards are not entirely cleared, but are in much better shape than for a long time.

Captain Stoll Quite Sick.
Captain Stoll, of the Pennsylvania

Piles

In order to prove to you that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for any form of Hemorrhoids, bleeding, or protruding piles, the manufacturer guarantees a cure. You can use it and if not cured get your money back. Mr. C. W. Walton, laborer, Michigan City, Ind., says: "I work hard and lift a great deal. The strain brought on an attack of piles. They itched and they protruded and bled. Nothing helped them until I used Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. That cured them." See a box at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase, Manufacturers Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment.

police department, is confined to his home with a severe cold. Several days ago symptoms of pneumonia were in evidence, but the probability of a serious attack is now happily disappearing.

New Shop Foreman.

A change in the foremanship of the machinery department of the Wabash shops took place yesterday, when Fred Ropa surrendered that position at his own volition to return to the lathe. George W. Rupley has been promoted from night to day foreman, succeeding Mr. Ropa, and Henry L. Schotemeyer, who was operating a lathe, has been appointed night foreman. Mr. Rupley has been employed at the Wabash shops thirteen years, commencing there as an apprentice when he was sixteen years old and when he was so small he had to stand upon boxes to run the lathes and other machinery he was called upon to operate. After completing his apprenticeship, Mr. Rupley worked in the shops, chiefly in the rod gang, until a year ago, when he was appointed night foreman. Mr. Schotemeyer also learned his trade in the Wabash shops and has been employed there continuously since. He will assume the duties of his new office tonight. Both of these gentlemen are young, active, ambitious and deserving of any promotion the Wabash may give them. They are honest and fair with the men under them and will be popular foremen.

The Unfortunate Ones.

Machinist E. C. Rehling, of the Pittsburg, is confined to his home by injuries sustained by a fall at the new round house early Saturday morning. He was bruised about the head and shoulders and the injuries are severe enough to disable him for a week at least.

Mrs. Frank M. Cairns, wife of the general foreman at the Pennsylvania company's Crestline shops, is still in a most critical condition at her home in that city. Mrs. Thomas Dyer, wife of the well known engineer, who is a sister of Mrs. Cairns, has returned from Crestline, but will return there to attend at the bedside of the sick lady later in the week. Mrs. Dyer says her sister has but slight chance to recover.

H. H. Robertson, J. J. Scott and W. Strader, Pittsburg shopmen, are off duty, the former on account of being sick and the two latter on account of sickness in their families.

Called to Higher Place.

Chief Clerk Frank D. Reed, of the motive power department of the Pennsylvania, has selected Vincent W. Dawson to take the place of Ed Remmert when the latter goes to the legal department. Mr. Dawson has been employed as a stenographer by the company for several years. His first service in that line was in the road foreman of engines department, under the late A. H. Polhamus. Thence he went to Capt. H. Stoll's office, in the police department and shortly afterwards was transferred to Chicago in the same department. He came back here about a year ago and since that time has been stenographer and clerk in the timekeeping branch of the transportation department. He will take up his new duties as soon as the January pay rolls are made out. No successor to Mr. Dawson has yet been selected.

Shopmen Resume Work.

The Pittsburg shops are in pretty good shape at present so far as working force is concerned, there being less sickness among the men than for some days. This morning the following shopmen who had been on the sick list, two of them over a month, reported for duty: Al Throckmorton, J. K. Lonk, F. C. Schultz, George B. Killen, A. P. Mueller and A. F. Lapp. Machinists G. C. Meyers, F. J. O'Brien, J. Finney and E. Carrigan, who had been working at Crestline three weeks, also resumed work in the shops here this morning.

Working on Coal Docks.

H. W. Tapp, who has the contract of putting in the foundation for the new Pennsylvania coal docks, will complete that job this evening and then the Link Belt company's men will take up the work of putting in the carriers and completing the coal docks and cinder pits. The construction men are expected in the city today and the material has been on the grounds for some time.

Goes to Grand Rapids.

F. P. Sherbondy, the electrician who has been at Pittsburg in the employ of the Pennsylvania company about a year and who asked to be transferred on account of his health being poor while in that city, left for Grand Rapids today. He will be chief engineer at that point for the Grand Rapids and Indiana road. The young man is a brother to William Sherbondy, electrician for the Pennsylvania company at this place.

January Business.

Despite the car shortage, the freight blockade at Pittsburg and elsewhere and other impediments to traffic last month showed a heavier business than the corresponding month of 1902. Agent J. O. Goff, of the Indiana Car Service association, reports that 1794

carloads of freight were handled here in January, not counting those handled at the freight houses. In January, 1902, there were 1723 carloads handled in the same manner, seventy-one less than handled last month. Building material predominated in this business and there was considerable wood, a new feature in the incoming freight, brought about by the gas failure.

Taking Inventory.

With the exception of the testing department and the work in the offices, the Fort Wayne Electric works are idle today. The annual inventory is on and until it is completed, which will be some time next Wednesday, "nothing doing" will be the situation in the mechanical and manufacturing department at that establishment.

Moving to Los Vegas.

George Platter, who has conducted a blacksmith shop at New Haven for a number of years and who is quite well known in this city, is now en route to Los Vegas, N. M., where he will engage in sheep raising in the future. His family will join him in the spring.

Preparing to Move Here.

General Foreman George W. Smith, of the Wabash shops, is in Peru today making arrangements to bring his family to this city. He has leased a house at the corner of Williams street and Hoagland avenue and hopes to have his wife and children domiciled there this week.

Industrial Notes.

Assistant Trainmaster W. E. Davis is confined to his home by sickness. Theodore Hunt has resigned his position at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Charles Saal, a springmaker at the Wabash Smith shop, is sick and off duty.

Passenger Agent J. C. Winans, of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road, spent Sunday with his family in Toledo.

Mrs. J. G. Stoll is visiting relatives in Grand Rapids. Her husband is an erecting foreman at the Pittsburg shops.

C. A. Motter and H. C. Hartmen, the former a truckman and the latter a tallyman, of the Pittsburg freight house, are sick and off duty.

Machinist Frank Auman, who had a finger cut off in some machinery several weeks ago, resumed his duties at the Bass shops this morning.

Foreman Joseph Slater resumed charge of the Bass blacksmith shops this morning, after an absence of several days on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Q. Dalley were called to Chicago Saturday evening by the sickness of a relative. Mr. Dalley is a clerk in the Pittsburg shop offices.

Boiler Foreman B. F. Sarver and Assistant Paint Foreman G. E. Graham have returned to the shops, the former from Lima and the latter from Mansfield.

Purchasing Agent F. I. Brown, of the Pennsylvania, has returned from Tifton, Ga., where he has been two weeks in the interest of the lumber department.

Theodore Roy, of the Wabash blacksmith shop, who had a hand injured a month ago, has recovered from the injury and this morning resumed his duties at that shop.

Thomas Rodd, chief engineer of the Pennsylvania, and a party passed through the city in Mr. Rodd's private car on train 25 this morning; en route from Pittsburg to Chicago.

Mrs. Sweringer, wife of Assistant general foreman Frank Sweringer, of the Pittsburg car shops, was removed from Hope hospital to her home last evening. She passed through an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. G. E. Wagner, Mrs. G. H. Kappell and the latter's baby, wife, daughter and grandson, respectively, of Engineer Wagner, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, are confined to their rooms with the grip.

The Indiana Car Service association is holding a meeting in Indianapolis today and it is quite likely that a general manager will be selected to succeed Mr. Bacon, whose resignation was mentioned by The Sentinel ten days ago.

The throttle on engine 7273, which was pulling mail train No. 18 on the Pittsburg, became disconnected at Columbus City this morning and was connected with great difficulty. As a result of the accident the train was delayed two hours.

The committee on arrangements for the Machinist union's ball held a meeting Saturday night and made final arrangements for the event, which is to take place February 23 at Saengerbund hall. The machinists propose to make this the best ball they ever gave and will bar all intoxicating drinks.

The Indianapolis Journal says that "spotters are again being employed by some of the roads centering at that point, and some dismissals may result. The 'spotter' must make a 'showing' to hold his job and in his efforts in this direction he is likely to resort to some very questionable methods."

Tomorrow Mrs. J. E. Keegan and daughter, of Grand Rapids, will leave for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the balance of the winter and the spring with relatives. Mr. Keegan will join his wife and daughter in March, being accompanied on the journey to the Pacific coast by R. J.

Fisher, of the Bass company. Mr. Keegan is master mechanic of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road.

Some of the boilermakers employed at the Wabash earned \$100 to \$115 during the month of January, exceeding all earning records in that line of work at that shop. The earnings of machinists, blacksmiths, painters, tinners, carpenters and helpers was also unusually large, but perhaps not as great as that of the boilermakers.

Trouble is brewing on the Houston division of the Southern Pacific road. Ten conductors were discharged yesterday without ceremony and they threaten to appeal their cases to the Order of Railway Conductors, in which case the company will have difficulty in getting men to take the places of the discharged men.

Boilermaker Louis Baker, who was married last week, reported at the Wabash shops this morning, taking with him a box of cigars for the boys. Mr. Baker's appearance at the shop was the signal for an ear-splitting din, dignified by the name of the "anvil chorus," the difference between this one and the original being that it is played with hammers on boiler plates.

A report of the ticket sales at the several depots in the city during the year 1902 would be full of surprises to most readers because of the vast sum of money they represent. The Sentinel is informed that every railway passing through the city can show an increase of 50 to 75 per cent. over preceding years. The present year gives promise of greater business, both in a passenger and freight line, because the roads have greater facilities for handling business.

MRS. HOSTMAN NOT THERE TO TESTIFY

Woman Who Shot at a Persistent Admirer Fails to Appear—Police News

Eugene Reynolds pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness at police court this morning and was fined \$5 and costs. On Saturday night he went to the residence of Mrs. C. W. Hostman, on Superior street, and asked to see Mrs. Hostman. At this point the stories of Reynolds and Mrs. Hostman diverge. After the call there was a sudden exit of Reynolds and his exit was closely followed by a bullet discharged from a revolver in the hands of Mrs. Hostman. Reynolds ran away and was soon after arrested by Officer White and was looked up on a charge presented by Mrs. Hostman that he had tried to cut her throat. Later investigation did not produce much of anything in the way of information.

Mrs. Hostman's original story was to the effect that Reynolds had impounded her for a long time to meet him and that when he came to her house on Saturday night he insisted on a walk with him, which she refused, whereupon he drew a knife and attempted to cut her throat. She escaped from him and securing a revolver in her bedroom fired a shot at him and she never saw him afterwards.

Reynolds' story was considerably different from that of Mrs. Hostman. He said that he has been a frequent caller on Mrs. Hostman for a number of years, as many as ten at least and that he went there on Saturday night to inform her that he intended to leave the city and might never see her again. He says that she then told him that she would attend to that and going into an adjoining room came out with a revolver and said that she would see to it that he would not leave town for a while anyway. He admits having drawn his knife to protect himself and then ran away and during the run Mrs. Hostman fired the shot.

After his arrest Reynolds, who is unknown to the police department, reiterated his statement that he had been a frequent and, as far as he knew, a welcome visitor for a number of years at the Hostman domicile. After the arrest Mrs. Hostman said that she would appear to prosecute any sort of a charge that might be preferred against Reynolds, but when the case was called this morning she could not be found and a charge of plain drunkenness was preferred against the man, to which he pleaded guilty. He was sent over, but arrangements for his release on bail are in preparation.

The only other case called was that of William Connors, who was arrested for being drunk. He represented that it was his first offense, but said that he guessed the allegation was true, but that the occurrence was accidental. The judge took a lenient view of the case and continued the case indefinitely, releasing Mr. Connors on his own recognizance.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.

For the first time since his ascendency to the bench Judge Dreibeiliss yesterday admitted a man to bail on Sunday. The man was Henry Kass, who was accused of larceny, and he was bound over to answer on Wednesday to the charge of abstracting \$1.47 from the pockets of a fellow boarder, Charles Paulus by name, in a boarding house near the organ factory. Kass gave the required bail, with Judge S. R. Alden as surety, and his case will be heard day

after tomorrow. The men had been out drinking and during the evening Paulus became pretty well impregnated with liquor and beer and went to sleep at a table in Rodewald's saloon, on Fairfield avenue. When he woke up he missed his friend and his pocketbook both and then reported the matter to the police. Officers Thomma and Grayless found Kass later on, but he denied knowing anything about the pocketbook. He was searched and the purse with the contents intact was found on his person. He says he has no idea how the pocketbook came into his possession. Both men were quite drunk when they separated.

POLICE REPORT FOR JANUARY.

The police report of arrests for January does not show up as strong as usual during the winter months, but 49 arrests having been made. Arrests for intoxication, as usual, led the list and the others were not out of the ordinary. Lieutenant Lapp's tabulated report is as follows:

Intoxication	24
Vagrancy	8
Pettit larceny	4
Gambling	3
Assault and battery	2
Profanity	2
Shooting in city limits	2
Selling liquor without license	1
Keeping gambling house	1
Neglecting a child	1
Carrying concealed weapons	1
Total	49

HENRY LAPP, Lieut.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

The board of works is in session this afternoon.

Mayor Berghoff left for South Bend today to be absent for several days. He went on private business connected with the law firm of Gilbert, Berghoff & Wood.

Two new cases of scarlet fever were reported today. One was at 702 Archer avenue and the other was at 1104 Stophlet street.



RICHMOND PEARSON ROBSON.

"OUR NAVY," Feb. 13th, at West Jefferson street Church of Christ. Admission, with reserved seat, 50 cents. Seats on sale at the church Thursday a. m., Feb. 5th. Holders of tickets for People's Lecture Course can, upon presenting course tickets and 50 cents, before 8 o'clock on morning of reservation, have regular seat reserved; after that hour all reserved seats on sale.

There will be a business meeting of the Ladies' Society of Bethany church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the church.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

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A saying true of no other food but NORKA—THE COOKED OATS. The best of food; the substance from which the Scotchman draws his brawn; the food on which the nation leans—Oats, the muscle-making food.

NORKA is just oats—cooked and malted as no one else can cook them—cooked as they were never cooked before. Already to serve, with all the nutriment; all the good retained.

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It will give you a clear head and a sound body. It keeps your liver acting and your system in perfect condition. For sale at your Druggist. Large bottle, 35 cents; small bottle, 15 cents.

THE REFORMER

By CHARLES M. SHELDON.

more like it. Don't try to palm off another one of your rotten boxes on me or you'll hear from me, eh? Put it on the table!" Then, as two children came into the room at the heels of the two men who brought the coffin, Gordon was astonished to see Randall put them on the head kindly and say: "Now, then, lads, out of the road. I can't stop now."

The children went out of the room, and Randall bustled in and, ordering chairs and helping place the body of Louie in the coffin. Gordon came up to the table to look at the little face, for Louie had been partly deformed, and his face was like a baby's.

He looked down at the figure and noticed that one hand was clenched tight. Stopping a little lower, by the dim light Gordon recognized his own little gift when he had gone in with Mr. Marsh. It was a sample bottle of perfume, and the child had clung to it in the darkness, dying in the horrible filth of his surroundings, and, as Gordon learned some time afterward, literally covered with vermin.

John Gordon's tears fell on the face as he felt that here was one of God's little ones against whom somebody had sinned. "Better for a millstone to be hung around his neck!" he seemed to hear the words of the Son of Man—"than that one of these little ones should perish."

Was it the social system? Was it the selfish wealth? Was it political dishonesty? Was it a definite individual? This child—weak, deformed, helpless—did it not need the strength and beauty of a whole universe thrown about it in loving protection? Instead of that, flung like some vile thing among the rotting, loathsome, crawling things of the lowest physical world, it had gone out of a world of black horrors, clinging childishly to a bit of artificial fragrance that was practically all the touch it ever knew of the abounding perfume of a flower bedecked earth. Poor little soul! Will not God take him and hold him long in his bosom of infinite pity? And will it be unjust if an impassable gulf yawns between him and the Dives who on earth tasted all the physical delights, but let the dogs lick the sores of the beggar at his gate, proud of his charity in dinging to him the crumbs of the feast? For is not that about all that wealthy Christendom has so far flung at the dying beggar of the slum, after 2,000 years of luxurious civilization?

"Now then, young man, is there anything more?"

His profound reverie was suddenly interrupted by Randall.

"The service? I will see to that."

"Is there any minister?" Gordon asked firmly, for he knew enough from what he had heard from the residents to know that in many cases there were no religious services of any kind and a horrible baste and tumult that partook of the savagery of brute nature.

Tommy Randall paused before he answered, weighing somewhat carefully just how far he could go.

"What business is it of yours, young fellow?"

"I hear you quite well, sir. You do not need to talk to make the dead hear!"

John Gordon spoke with a heart on fire as he realized with a gleam of his instinctive loathing of the man his diabolical hold on the people. "Come out here and say what you have to say. It is not decent for us to be having all this in the room."

He turned in a great heat of anger that instantly cooled as he went out in the corridor, and Randall followed him, in spite of himself as it seemed, and the curious, gaping crowd, mostly women, thronged around to see the row between Tommy Randall, the autocrat of Ward 13, and the slim, pale faced, well dressed "gent" who had suddenly stepped into the arena alone against the whole political machine.

"He's up against it!" chuckled as old woman.

"Tommy will do him up brown," said a young man who loathed against the broken railing of the corridor and spit tobacco juice down on the heads of the children in the court below.

Gordon again was the first to speak. He was not aggressive, but perfectly firm and calm.

"Have you any legal authority for managing affairs here?" he asked, and Randall again made a movement which looked like a threat of physical violence.

The members of the T. C. E. club surprised Miss Madge Pritchard Saturday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Plogterth. Cards were enjoyed, prizes being won by Miss Marvelline Gerow and John Bothner.

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WE are ahead of the calendar. Spring comes early here. There are many signs of its coming all through the store and every day brings added attractions. Among the early arrivals will be found many new things for between seasons wear, attractive in style and prices.

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\$5.00 costs 50c for 30 days.
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Women's
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Fancy Feathers 49c.

Fancy Feathers 19c.

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Women's Street Hats 49c.

Of this year's BEST styles in Camel's Hair Felts. There are draped Felts, Ping Pong Sailors and Fedoras in browns, blues, and more black than the other colors. These Hats are our regular \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75 goods. To make your choosing easy we have arranged them in one lot.

Finest Beaver Hats.

This includes all Beaver Hats and the assortment is nearly as good as heretofore—there's plenty of black, castor, brown, etc., very finest grade, at \$2.00—also extra fine quality in gray, pink, bright red, yellow and white, in the popular flat shapes, with the large bell crowns; these Beavers have been the talk of the town and the price now is \$3.

The regular prices of these stylish shapes are 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 that have been priced ridiculously low to see the last of them the season they were bought. There are shapes to suit every face and colors are mostly black. Like you to see them.

This includes all 75c. and \$1.00 Ostrich Plumes, Pompons, Birds' Wings and Breasts that came this season.

The 25c., 39c. and 50c. Birds' Wings, Breasts and Pompons are in this lot. They are all new—this season's goods.

White Silk, sizes for infants up to one year old at 10c. Fancy Silk, for little tots up to 2 and 3 years old, 19c. Angora Hoods, large sizes, at 75c. Fancy Silk Hoods at unequalled values. All through our store you'll find what you want at less than you expected.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair tonight, followed by rain or snow in south portion Tuesday afternoon or night; colder; northwest winds, becoming variable.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Cheerful Aid society will meet at the residence of Mrs. Nichols, 418 St. Martin's street, Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

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Thousands of yards of the finest Carpets, showing the largest variety of designs from the leading mills. We are going to extend the liberal terms offered during January through the month of February.

Come and visit this department, as we are positive you will be suited; also a saving will be made if the price and quality are considered. Smith's best Saxony and Extra Axminster Carpets, 50 patterns, at \$1.20 and \$1.35 yd.

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Superior quality all-wool Ingrain Carpets (the sales last year for this grade alone exceeding 15,000 yds.), 50 patterns, at 81c per yd.

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Wild's celebrated Linoleum, usually sold for 65c, here for 50c sq. yd. Rugs of all sizes and varieties.

We are headquarters for Oriental Rugs; lowest prices always prevail. Special prices to close out odd pairs of heavy Drapery Curtains.

No additional charge made for putting down carpets (Ingrains excepted).

Fancy Footstools, sale price 29c each.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

There will be a business meeting of the Ladies' Society of Bethany church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the church.

GROCERY ITEMS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

A glance at the items below will convince you that you can save money by purchasing your supplies this week at our busy counters.

A few of the many under-priced items are given below:

Breakfast Foods, Malta Vita, Maple Flake, Grape Sugar and Cream Flake, at 12½c package. Grape Nuts, 12c package.

Winona Ceres, 10c package.

Virginia Sweets and Mrs. Austin's Pan Cake Flour, 8c package.

4 boxes best Parlor Matches for 5c.

Yeast Powd., 3½c package.

Fresh Bread, 3c loaf.

25 lb sack Standard Granulated Sugar, \$1.18 sack.

Every one of the above items a genuine bargain and a money saver.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

MRS. M. J. ALDERMAN CALLED FROM EARTH

Death Terminates a Life of
Helpful Charity—Other
Mortuary Matters

Mrs. Martha Jane Alderman, widow of the late Frank Alderman, widely known by reason of her devotion to works of splendid charity and kindly helpfulness, died Sunday afternoon at her home on Crescent avenue. Mrs. Alderman was 47 years of age, and her death was due to a complication of diseases. She had been in failing health for many months, and for a time was a patient at St. Joseph's hospital.

Mrs. Alderman was born in Eel River township, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. McKee, prominent pioneer citizens of Allen county. During the civil war the family removed to Warsaw and for nine years resided in that city, afterwards returning to Fort Wayne, where the remaining years of her useful life were spent. She was united in marriage in 1874 to Frank Alderman, whose death occurred in November, 1900. Three sons and a daughter survive. They are Frank Alderman, of South Hanna street, and Harry, Miss Dollie and Charles Alderman, who resided with the mother.

Her life was an unselfish one, and hundreds of people will thankfully recall her sympathy, helpfulness and ministrations in times of sorrow and affliction. Her charity was of the tangible sort that found expression in relief of suffering and poverty, and she was a staunch friend in times of distress. The military organizations that have gone into service from this city remember with especial gratitude Mrs. Alderman's interest in the soldier boy. Two of her own sons were members of the Twenty-eighth battery, and during the Spanish-American war the devoted woman was especially active in collecting and sending to the soldiers in camp delicacies which the army stores did not provide. More than this, Mrs. Alderman went herself to Chickamauga, where she aided in caring for the sick, and she became to be affectionately called "the mother of the battery." After the death of her husband Mrs. Alderman engaged for a time in the millinery business, but disposed of this interest some months ago.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9:30 from the residence and at 10 o'clock from the Cathedral.

The interment will occur at Lindenwood.

LUHMANN.

William Luhmann, sr.,—forty years a resident of this city, died at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home, 807 Canal street, at the age of 68 years. Death was due to tuberculosis, and it came after a protracted illness.

Mr. Luhmann was a native of Germany, learned the trade of a tailor there, and emigrated to America forty-five years ago. After working for some time as a journeyman he engaged in business for himself upon Maumee avenue, conducting the establishment many years. He was well known and highly esteemed. His wife died in September last, and the surviving children include Henry C. Luhmann, William C. Luhmann, Frederick H. Luhmann, August Luhmann and Mrs. Henry Toensing, whose husband is a druggist on Maumee avenue. There is also a brother, Frederick Louis Luhmann, of this city. Mr. Luhmann was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran church.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from St. Paul's Lutheran church. No flowers.

LINDNER.

Louis Lindner, formerly employed at the Wayne Knitting Mills, died at 4 o'clock Sunday morning at his home, 1311 West Main street, after an illness of two weeks. Death was due to pneumonia. He was 41 years of age.

Mr. Lindner was born in Saxony, emigrated to America five years ago and had resided in Fort Wayne since that time. The widow and four children survive. The deceased was a member of the Modern Woodmen, and that fraternity will be in charge of the funeral service which will be held from the residence at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

In accordance with a request often expressed by Mr. Lindner, the remains will be cremated at Lindenwood immediately after the funeral service.

KUDER.

Mrs. Elmer Kuder, a widow, 64 years of age, died at midnight at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martha Gordon, 1619 Green street, with whom she had been making her home for the past two years. Death was due to lung trouble.

Mrs. Kuder was formerly a real-

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dent of Warsaw. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Gordon, of this city, and Mrs. Ella Welbrook, of Elwood.

HOLDEN.

Robert Malcolm Holden, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holden, died at 7 o'clock this morning at the family home, 58 Baltes avenue, from exhaustion, at the age of one day.

Mrs. W. E. Winch, son Bruce and daughter Helen returned this morning from a winter's sojourn near Texarkana, Ark., where Mr. Winch is largely interested in the lumber business. The climate of the south did not agree with Mrs. Winch, so she concluded to return to good old Indiana, the land of her birth. She today resumed her residence, at her home, No. 2106 Maumee avenue, which had been closed during her absence. The visit to the south was purely an experiment and the furniture of the house had not been removed.

The Waltemath drug store today passed into the hands of Albert W. F. Manth, who has purchased the property. The invoice was made by W. F. Ranke, Will Noll and Charles F. Fresse.

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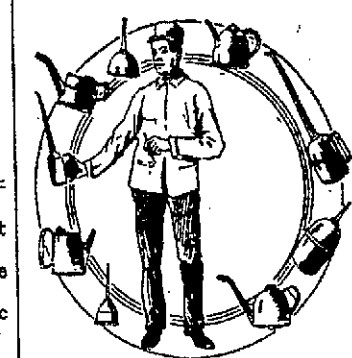
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